

## STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

## LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMISSION

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## Legislative Research Commission Advisory Subcommittee on Offshore Energy Exploration

Agenda - April 15, 2009 – 10:00 AM Jim Graham Building: Hall of Fame Room Raleigh, North Carolina

I. Welcome/ Introductions

Dr. Leutze, Co-Chair

Dr. Rader, Co-Chair

Subcommittee Members

- II. Review of Authorization/ Approval of Subcommittee Budget
- III. History of North Carolina Offshore Drilling

Michael Lopazanski: Coastal & Ocean Policy Manager -NC Division of Coastal Management

IV. Resources off the Coast of North Carolina

David Marin: Regional Supervisor for Resource Evaluation, Minerals Management Service

James Coleman: Director, Eastern Energy Resources Science Center, USGS

V. Technologies for Offshore Drilling

Michael Saucier: Regional Supervisor of Field Operations, Minerals Management Service

Andy Radford: Senior Policy Advisor, American Petroleum Institute

VI. Offshore Habitats and Offshore Drilling

Steve Ross: Research Associate Professor, UNC-W, Center for Marine Science

Cindy L. Van Dover: Harvey W Smith Professor of Biological Oceanography, Nicholas School of the Environment, Duke University

VII. Other Business

VIII. Adjournment